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SUBJECT: VISIT TO FRG OF UNDER SECRETARY BENSON

REF: (A) BONN 6376, (B) STATE 93530

1. ON THE BASIS OF REF (B), WE DISCUSSED AGAIN WITH VAN AERSSSEN HIS INVITATION TO UNDER SECRETARY BENSON. VAN AERSSSEN EXPRESSED FULL UNDERSTANDING FOR THE TIGHTNESS OF THE UNDER SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE, AND HE HOPED THAT SHE MIGHT BE ABLE TO COME LATER IN THE YEAR. VAN AERSSSEN SAID THAT HE WILL BE ON LEAVE FROM MID-JULY TO MID-AUGUST, BUT THAT HE COULD OTHERWISE ACCOMMODATE THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR A VISIT OF A FEW DAYS OR MORE. WE UNDERTOOK TO PURSUE THIS SUBJECT FURTHER WITH T, AND TO GET BACK TO VAN AERSSSEN WHEN WE HAD NEW INFORMATION.
2. VAN AERSSSEN SPECIFICALLY WANTS TO INVITE THE UNDER SECRETARY, GIVEN THEIR EARLIER DISCUSSIONS. HE DOES NOT WANT TO INVITE ALTERNATES IN HER STEAD. IN VIEW OF THE NUMBER OF EXPERT-LEVEL DISCUSSIONS ON NUCLEAR ENERGY MATTERS WHICH WE HAVE HAD WITH THE FRG BOTH HERE AND IN THE U.S., THE TIME MAY BE RIPE FOR A HIGHER-LEVEL EXCHANGE. IN THIS CONNECTION, WE REGARD THE UNDER SECRETARY AS A PRIME CANDIDATE, AND HOPE THAT

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IT WILL BE POSSIBLE TO ARRANGE A SUITABLE TIME.
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